

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7140**
Claudio BORTOLUSSI : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0985A
Serial No. 10/590,145 : Group Art Unit 3644
Filed March 21, 2006 : Examiner Trinh T. Nguyen

RESILIENTLY COMPENSATED WIRE
TENSIONER PARTICULARLY FOR USE
IN THE FIELD OF VINE GROWING : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 7, 2008, the period for response having been extended for three months, the Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.